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FM AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4398

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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S MESSAGE: AMBASSADOR'S CREDENTIALS

REF STATE 174067

1. CHARGE DELIVERED SECRETARY'S MESSAGE TO FOREIGN MINISTER SIMBANANIYE MORNING AUGUST 10. FORMIN EXPRESSED PLEASURE AT LEARNING OF NEW ADMINISTRATION'S INTENTION EMPHASIZE CONTINUITY IN FOREIGN POLICY, ASKED CHARGE TO TRANSMIT HIS THANKS TO SECRETARY AND EXPRESSED HOPE FOR FURTHER STRENGTHENING BILATERAL RELATIONS.

2. WHEN CHARGE EXPRESSED REGRET THAT AMBASSADOR HAD NOT HAD OPPORTUNITY PRESENT CREDENTIALS SIGNED BY PRESIDENT NIXON AND WOULD THEREFORE BE DELAYED IN TAKING UP HIS FUNCTIONS OFFICIALLY, FORMIN APOLOGETICALLY EXPLAINED THAT SINCE AMBASSADORS ARRIVAL PRESIDENT MICOMBERO HAD BEEN OUT OF BUJUMBURA AND FULLY OCCUPIED WITH TRIP TO ZAIRE AND INTERNAL MATTERS. MOREOVER GRB HAD NOT REALIZED EVENTS IN WASHINGTON WOULD MOVE SO FAST. FORMIN HOPED THAT LETTERS SIGNED BY PRESIDENT FORD WOULD ARRIVE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. IN MEANTIME, AMBASSADOR SHOULD FEEL AT HOME.

3. AS CHARGE PROCEEDED TO MINISTRY, COPY OF CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE FROM MICOMBERO TO PRESIDENT FORD WAS EN ROUTE TO EMBASSY. MESSAGE,
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WHICH SENT DIRECT TO WHITE HOUSE, WISHED NEW PRESIDENT SUCCESS

AND EXPRESSED HOPE FOR "MAINTNEANCE AND CONSOLIDATION
OF RELATIONS OF COOPERATION" WHICH EXIST BETWEEN U.S. AND BURUNDI.
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